

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: Agricultural Inspectors (45-2011)

Associated Occupation: First-Line Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers (45-1011)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 62

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating		Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Mechanical	6.8	11.3	6.3	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Administration and Management	8.4	11.2	8.1	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Production and Processing	6.0	9.9	7.4	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Personnel and Human Resources	5.6	8.1	4.7	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Biology	3.7	8.0	9.4	>	Current knowledge level is likely sufficient
Food Production	2.1	6.5	8.0	>	Current knowledge level is likely sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 72

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating		Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Monitoring	9.9	13.1	12.4	0	Current skill level may be sufficient
Management of Personnel Resources	6.9	12.3	7.2	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Time Management	8.9	12.2	8.5	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Coordination	9.1	11.9	9.2	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

Management of Material Resources	3.7	8.8	3.5	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Management of Financial Resources	3.3	8.5	3.1	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

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Abilities		Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 92			
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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Far Vision	7.8	10.8	10.6	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Depth Perception	5.3	8.6	6.7	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Time Sharing	6.6	8.5	6.6	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Glare Sensitivity	2.6	5.3	4.7	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Spatial Orientation	2.7	5.3	4.5	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common		Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 77
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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity	
Examine animals to detect illness, disease, or injury	81	
Identify crop characteristics	75	
Inspect crops or fields	87	
Inspect crops to determine quality	89	
Perform safety inspections in agricultural, forestry, or fishing setting	77	
Prepare reports	8	
Recognize disease or parasites in animals	72	

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

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Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 54

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Audio and visual equipment	4
Cameras	2
Computers	1
Content authoring and editing software	1
Cutting and crimping and punching tools	3
Data management and query software	1
Face and head protection	7
Network applications software	1
Pipettes and liquid handling equipment and supplies	16
Poultry and livestock equipment	33
Product and material transport vehicles	13
Sampling equipment	12
Syringes and accessories	14
Weight measuring instruments	7

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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